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| 2. | IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION X This application is a continuation-in-part of patent application No. 10/375,220. | | | | | | |
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| | | application claims the benefit of Provisional Appli 9(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4). | ication No. pursuant | to 35 U.S.C. | | | |
| 3. | APPLICATIO | N COMPRISED OF | | | | | |
| | Specification 11 Spec | cification, claims and Abstract (total pages) | | | | | |
| | Drawings 6 Shee | ets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 8a) | | | | | |
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| 4. | Mic | rofiche Computer Program (Appendix) | | | | | |
| 5. | Nuc | leotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission Computer Readable Copy Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) Statement verifying identity of above copies | | cessary) | | | |
| 6. | X App | S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR §1.27 licant(s) and any others associated with it/then | n under §1.27(a) are | e a SMALL | | | |

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FEE TRANSMITTAL UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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DEVICE TO INJECT FOODS WITH SOLID OBJECTS Title

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FEE DETERMINATION

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | | | | |
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| | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | SMALL ENTITY RATE | LARGE ENTITY RATE | FEE | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 8 – 20 | = 0 | 0 x \$9.00 | 0 x \$18.00 | 0 | | | |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 1 – 3 | = 0 | 0 x \$43.00 | 0 x \$86.00 | 0 | | | |
| MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT | \$145.00 | \$290.00 | 0 | | | | | |
| BASIC FEE | \$385.00 | \$770.00 | \$385.00 | | | | | |
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